

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by: (HS)

AN ACT CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP OF THE LOW-INCOME ENERGY ADVISORY BOARD.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 16a-41b of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective July 1,
- 3 2022):
- 4 (a) There shall be a Low-Income Energy Advisory Board which shall
- 5 consist of the following members or their designees: A representative of
- 6 each electric and gas public service company designated by each such
- 7 company; the chairperson of the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority;
- 8 the Consumer Counsel; the executive director of Operation Fuel; the
- 9 executive director of Infoline; the director of the Connecticut Local
- 10 Administrators of Social Services; the executive director of Legal
- 11 Assistance Resource Center of Connecticut; the Connecticut [president]
- 12 <u>state director</u> of AARP; a designee of the Norwich Public Utility; a
- designee of the Independent Connecticut Petroleum Association; <u>two</u>
- 14 representatives of municipal or regional owned water utilities,
- 15 <u>designated by the Connecticut Water Works Association; the executive</u>

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- 16 director of the Connecticut Fair Housing Center; the executive director
- 17 of the Center for Children's Advocacy; the executive director of the
- 18 <u>Connecticut Green Building Council</u> and [a representative] <u>two</u>
- 19 <u>representatives</u> of the community action agencies administering energy
- 20 assistance programs under contract with the Department of Social
- 21 Services, designated by the Connecticut Association for Community
- 22 Action. The Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management and the
- 23 Commissioners of Social Services and Energy and Environmental
- 24 Protection, or their designees, shall serve as nonvoting members of the
- 25 board.

This act sha sections:	ll take effect as foll	ows and shall amend the following
Section 1	July 1, 2022	16a-41b(a)

Statement of Purpose:

To add representatives to the Low-Income Energy Advisory Board.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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